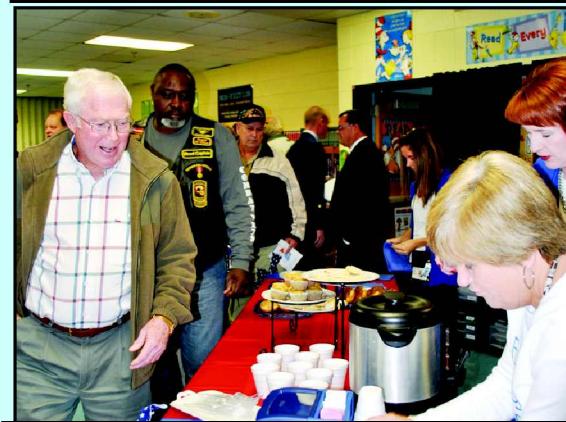
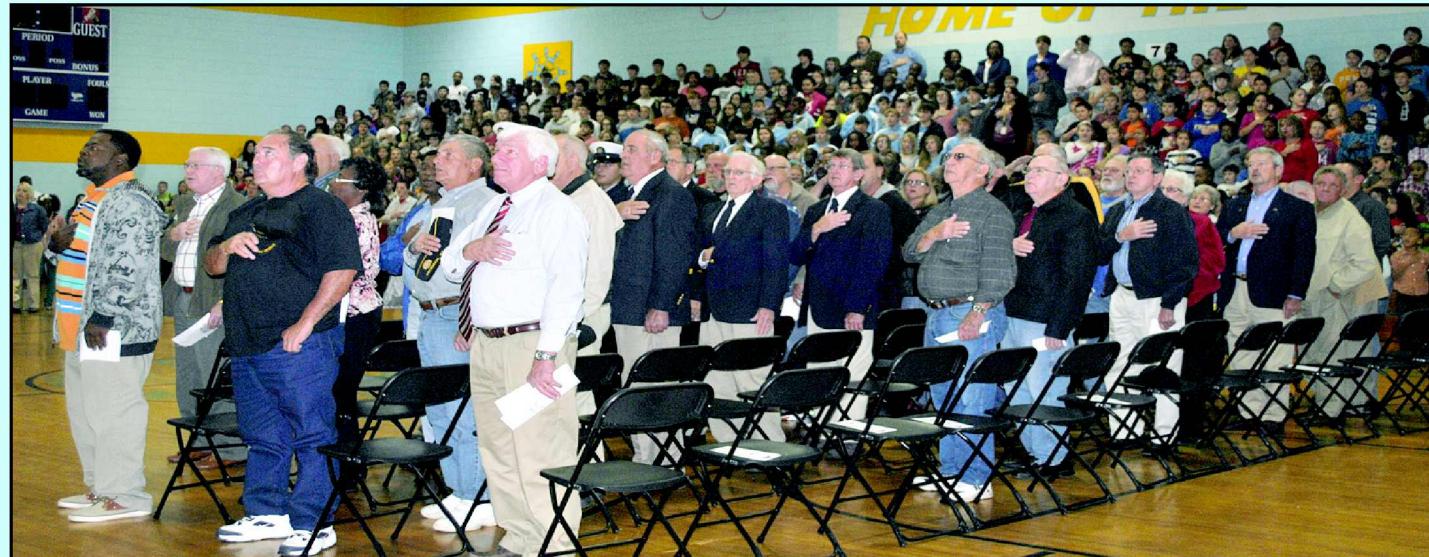


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SALUTE TO VETERANS - On Monday, Nov. 11 Fulton County Schools saluted area Veterans with a heartfelt program with many students participating in the event. Superintendent Aaron Collins gave a very moving Keynote Address. Above, Veterans and participants stand as they sing the National Anthem; far left, Jimmy Lucy, Willis Hayslett, and Clentis Turnbow were served during a reception in the library by Jan Adams and Julie Jackson; and, at left, Christian Smith (left) shares a personal thank you with Perry Turner. (Photos by Charlotte Smith.)

Wins top award

Polk graduates from Army Combat Engineering school

The old Army slogan, "Be All that You Can Be," is one PV2 Ladarrian S. Polk has taken to heart. Polk graduated on Friday, Nov. 8 from Charlie Company, 31st Engineer Battalion, 1st Engineer Brigade One Station Unit Training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. Polk received the Army

Engineer Association "Sapper Spirit" Award, presented to the Engineer Soldier who demonstrated the ability to significantly motivate others, displayed consistent enthusiasm towards accomplishment of the mission,

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Drill Sergeant McPherson and PV2 Ladarrian Polk



MISS FCHS 2013 COURT - The Miss FCHS Pageant was held on Saturday, Nov. 9 at Fulton County High School with 12 beautifully poised young ladies participating in the event which is a fundraiser for the Journalism Staff. The top four were: (l to r) Julia Cox, 3rd Runner Up; Amy Langford, Miss FCHS; Annagrace Ligons, 2nd Runner Up; and Andria Brockwell, 1st Runner Up. (Photo by Charlotte Smith.)

Fiscal Court to sit down with Corps

Charlotte Smith
Editor

With Sutton Road still in disrepair following the Flood Fight of 2011, the Fulton County Fiscal Court is "tired of meeting behind closed doors" and wants

the public involved. "After all it is their money," stated Fulton County Attorney Rick Major, "We don't have to honor our contracts." Since 2011, County Attorney Major has been corresponding with the Corps trying to rectify the situation, thus, repairing Sutton Road to its original condition.

During the Flood Fight in the spring of 2011, the Army Corps of Engineers brought in trucks filled with rock in the lower bottom. Those heavy trucks damaged Sutton Road. At the time, the Corps said they would make sure everything would be returned to its condition before the Flood Fight.

When all was said and done, they went back on that word

stating in a letter sent to Fulton County Attorney Rick Major, "We don't have to honor our contracts." Since 2011, County Attorney Major has been corresponding with the Corps trying to rectify the situation, thus, repairing Sutton Road to its original condition.

A sit down meeting has been scheduled for Monday, Nov. 25 at 1 p.m. The public is being invited to attend.

The Fiscal Court has received a request to rename Leet Road as Culin Road. Magistrate

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THIS WEEK



OBITUARIES

Myra Pickler

RIVER STAGE FORECASTS OHIO RIVER AT CAIRO, ILL.

Wednesday, Nov. 13 - 15.5
Thursday, Nov. 14 - 15.5
Friday, Nov. 15 - 15.1
Saturday, Nov. 16 - 14.6
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Local Weather

Thu 56/36

Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the mid 50s and lows in the mid 30s.

Fri 53/44

Few showers. Highs in the low 50s and lows in the mid 40s.

Sat 61/51

Few showers. Highs in the low 60s and lows in the low 50s.

Sun 67/53

Chance of showers. Highs in the upper 60s and lows in the low 50s.

Mon 66/36

Few showers. Highs in the mid 60s and lows in the mid 50s.

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CHAMBER BUSINESS OF THE YEAR - Receiving top honors as the Hickman Chamber of Commerce Business of the Year was Hub's. The family owned and operated business is well established in Hickman. Phyllis Bryant, incoming 2013 Chamber Board President, presented the award to David Carlton (left) and Jennifer White (second from right). Also on hand for the presentation was 2012 Chamber Board President Jeff Jones (far right). Thursday night's meal was catered by Hub's. (Photo by C. Smith.)



SPECIAL COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD HONOREE - On Thursday, Nov. 7 Fred Pierson (center) received the Special Community Service Award from the Hickman Chamber of Commerce. Present during the annual Dinner Meeting accepting the award were several members of the Pierson family, including (l to r) Krystal McClanahan, Kodie McClanahan, Phyllis Pierson, Fred Pierson, Karla Fields, Melissa Logan and Kasie McClanahan. The Pierson family operated the auto part business Pierson's in Hickman for 90 years. It closed in October 2013 after selling out to Bumper to Bumper. (Photo by Charlotte Smith.)

Annual Christmas Parade will be December 14

The Hickman Recreation and Tourist Commission has set Saturday, Dec. 14 as the date for

the Christmas Parade in the city.

All area churches, businesses, civic organizations and school groups are encouraged to participate in the event, which will begin on North Seventh Street at the Fulton County Road Department, and will end at Coffey Construction Company.

Tourism members say Santa

Claus has agreed to be in Hickman for the day, and will be part of the parade.

Line-up will begin at 12:00 noon, with the parade route starting at 1 p.m.

Anyone who may need additional information about the parade is asked to contact any HTRCC member.

Commission discusses personnel at great length

Charlotte Smith
Editor

Pending litigation and personnel discussed in closed session dominated the Monday night Hickman City Commission meeting on November 11. Mayor David Lattus, City Manager

Johnny McTurner, Attorney Leanna Wilkerson, and City Commissioners Roger Adams and David Weatherly first met with water plant employee Joe Cheirs, followed by Public

Works Director Mike Hartigan and then City Clerk Donna Haney for approximately 70 minutes discussing a personnel issue. When the Commission reconvened in open session at 8:35 p.m. no further business was conducted.

Prior to the closed session, McTurner informed the Commission paving was complete on 12 roads within the

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Emergency personnel work on fine tuning Emergency Operations Plan

Charlotte Smith
Editor

Being prepared for the unexpected is what first responders, fire fighters, and emergency personnel thrive on. On Tuesday, Nov. 5 approximately 40 members of the community from Hickman, Fulton, South Fulton and other areas of western Kentucky participated in an exercise to better equip themselves for a natural disaster such as a tornado, flood, or earthquake.

After dispersing into groups of five, everyone was asked to handle the roles and responsibilities of an Emergency Operations Center (EOC) during a scenario involving a train derailment. The train, derailed at Newton Road in Fulton, was hauling everything from fiberboard to hazardous

materials.

Whatever skills each person brought to the table, they were to be utilized to fill the roles necessary to effectively run an EOC. The idea of the drill was to ask individuals to assume roles they might not be comfortable in, but be able to handle in the case of an emergency. There could be a time when Fulton County Emergency Management Director Hugh Caldwell and Deputy Director J.L. Atwill are both out of town.

If they are gone during an emergency, who would be in charge? Do they inform Fulton County Dispatch when they are out of town? These questions and more were asked on Tuesday and answers to those questions should be included

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THE HICKMAN COURIER

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Established in 1859. The oldest newspaper in West Kentucky.

Turning Back The Clock**25 Years Ago****February 23 1989**

Obituaries: Nela B. Lucy, 76; Mrs. Sammie Hurt, 72; Elmer Liliker, Jr., 64.

Harold E. "Hal" Greer, Jr., a Hickman native, was selected from among 26 applicants Monday evening as the new director of the Hickman-Fulton County Riverport.

The recent rains are contributing to the continuing sliding on Magnolia Street and the erosion is threatening public buildings, private homes and two water tanks.

Mrs. Dottie Pursell and son, Harold, attended the funeral Saturday of Junior Liliker. He was the nephew of Mrs. Pursell.

Our sympathy goes to the families of Louis Jones, O'Neal Elks and Lil Mae Holcombe.

Matthew Ray Wiseman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ray Wiseman, Jr., celebrated his first birthday Monday, Feb. 13, with a party.

Mrs. Docisey Davis was recognized for her 16 years of perfect attendance at the Church of Jesus Christ recently.

50 Years Ago**May 7, 1964**

Steve Dyer is the first FCHS student to qualify as a semi-finalist in the National Merit Scholarship program. Dyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Dyer, and a member of the junior class, will undergo further testing. Some of these scholarships are for as much as \$8000.

Elbert Burcham, Jr., Brantly Amberg, Erle Ezell, Ro Gardner, Waudell "Drag" Yarbro, and Hoyt Barnett have been appointed by Mayor King Davis to the City of Hickman river port authority.

Four seniors at FCHS have been selected to participate in the National Science Foundation Summer Mathematics and Science Institutes to be held at Murray State and Western State College and Florida State University. Julia Davis is their teacher and the students include: Beverly Westbrook, who will study chemistry at Murray; Jennifer Burcham will study physics at Florida State, Ann Adams will attend Western to study physics; and Bob Watts will study physics at Murray State.

75 Years Ago**May 19, 1939**

"The Wedding of The Flowers," third Annual operetta produced by the East Hickman primary grades Friday night, was acclaimed the best entertainment of its kind ever produced here. About 80 children were included in the cast. Members of the cast were: Gardners - Lyn Thomas Briggs, Neville Helm, George Black, Ruben Sanders, Alfred Broadhurst, Ernest Ray, Thomas Byrd, Ray Wiseman, Charles Case, Wayne Stoker and J.T. Lasater, Jr., Jonquils, as Heralds - Louise Hollis and Mary Elliott; Roses, Colleen Gibbs, Geneva Bowers, Mary Ruth Owens, Edna Earl Chambers, Juanita Trusty, Jewel Gibson, Bobbie Jean Williams, and Jean Love Pollock; Violets - Sue King, Betty Staks, Dorothy Wynn, Mary Ann Mobley, Catherine Owens, Ruby Davidson, Clara Wynn, and Peggy Cook. Sunflowers - Jack Rice, Elmer Williams, Joe Roper, Kenneth Wiseman, Gerald McMullin, Richard Rice, David Chaney, Carl Cagle, Bill Adams, Gene Roberts, Ernest Phipps, William Foy, Bobby Tullis, Gene Petty, Billy Lunsford and Charles Creed. (Continued next week)

125 Years Ago**May 26, 1889**

Dispatches from nearly every quarter of Kentucky indicate that the perishing crops have been saved by generous rains.

A reservoir on the highest point of the hill, will supply every point in Hickman with an ample supply of water for fires, street sprinkling, factories, mills, etc. Now, wouldn't that be a progressive improvement and an economy? Think of it, fairly and without too much haste.

A Cincinnati man has broken the record by marrying his mother-in-law. He probably did it to keep peace in the family.

Mr. M.B. Shaw is completing a nice little residence next to the Episcopal Church.

It is probable that our merchants will begin closing up their business houses at an early hour in order to give their clerks a chance for rest and recreation.

News Note

Mrs. Alexander, age 93 years, died at the home of her son, Charles Alexander, near Jordan, yesterday morning, after an extended illness and general debility. Grandma Alexander was the widow of Dr. Alexander, who lost his life in the yellow fever epidemic at Hickman in 1878.

She is survived by three sons-Dr. J. M. Alexander of Fulton; Chas. Alexander of Jordan; Jeff Alexander of Point Pleasant, Mo., and one daughter, Mrs. Susie DeBow of Obion County, Tenn. The funeral and burial was held at three o'clock yesterday at the family burying ground at the old Alexander homestead.

Mrs. Alexander was not only one of the oldest citizens of the county, but one of the best and most loved. She was a member of the Methodist church and a fine Christian lady. She was the grandmother of Robt. DeBow, of Hickman.

The following Deed Transfers were recorded in the office of Fulton County Clerk Betty Abernathy from November 4 - 7, 2013:

John Stephen Linn and wife D'arey Linn to James A. Hamrick and wife, Kayla Hamrick, property in the City of Fulton, value \$20,000, Nov. 5.

Ann H. Newton, substitute Trustee of the Edward R. Holt and Caroleta L. Holt Revocable Living Trust of Bartlett, Tenn. to David Craig Wheeler and wife Misty Wheeler of Hermitage, Tenn., property in the City of Fulton, value \$35,000, Nov. 5.

Jack W. Gannon and wife Helen H. Gannon of Hickman to Wiley Gannon and wife Molley an on of Hickman, property in the City of Hickman, value \$30,000, Nov. 7.

Bank of America, NA Successor by merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP FKA Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, LP of Plano, Texas to Secretary of Housing and Urban Development of Oklahoma City, Okla., property in the City of Fulton, value \$20,000, Nov. 7.

The City of Fulton, Ky. to Betty Pederson, property in the City of Fulton, value \$58,500, Nov. 4.

James M. (Mike) Sisson and Pamela D. Sisson Cole and husband Charles William Cole, Jr., to James A. Hamrick and wife Kayla Hamrick, property in the City of Fulton, value \$18,000, Nov. 5.



SWORN IN - Hickman City Clerk Donna Haney (left) swears in Ryan Amberg (right) as Hickman's newest law enforcement officer. Hickman City Manager Johnny McTurner witnessed the ceremony on November 8. Amberg is now a part-time police officer with the city (Photo submitted.)



BECOMING ONE - These five area schools lead the way to help lay the ground work for Fulton County Schools, which held classes for the first time in 1959. This banner hangs in the Fulton County High School gymnasium as a reminder of the past. (Photo by Charlotte Smith.)

Phillips School began in 1918 under a sycamore tree

Recognizing the past is one way we can look forward into the future. Back in the early summer of 1918 under a large sycamore tree in the yard of the Freewill Baptist Church, Phillips School began. According to the Fulton County Historical Society History Book of 1983, a band of teachers dedicated to benefitting African American children through education conducted the school outdoors until winter of 1918 when it was moved inside the church.

The school building erected through the perseverance of Mr. Edd Phillips, and named in his honor, was a big square building with three classrooms. In winter, whoever arrived first made

the fire to warm the school. Professor Hayes, the first principal, lived nearby, as also one of the teachers. There were not always three teachers on a full time basis.

The first primary teacher was Lizzie Viola Nelson, Mr. Edd Phillips' foster daughter. The first teacher for the middle grades was a Mrs. Moore. A Mrs. Dr. Polk also taught some.

In the late 1920's, Professor Plummer L. Nichols, who had been hired as principal. The couple remained at Phillips until it closed, (1966) teaching some four generations of African American children in Fulton County.

The school was located on

Hwy 94 near HWY 311.

Additional history:

There was an African American school in Fulton County as early as 1875. In 1887, Steve L. Brooks founded the Brook's Chapel School. He was the school teacher, as well as the pastor of Brook's Chapel. The school was burned by Night Riders in the 1920's and afterward, classes were held in the chapel. Today Brooks Chapel Baptist Church is located at 230 Brooks Chapel Road in Fulton, Ky. There were other African American Schools including Riverview School. The first high school for African Americans was built in 1905 with funding raised by D. H. Anderson.

Additional history:

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If You Like Your Plan, You Can't Keep It

by U.S. Senator Mitch McConnell



For nearly five years, Kentuckians heard President Obama repeat one very familiar phrase: "If you like your current health care plan, you can keep it." Kentuckians took the president at his word as he echoed this promise over and over again.

Now that Obamacare is coming into effect, we're learning that millions of people won't be able to keep the plan they have—despite the President's promise. Unfortunately, it's not hard to find examples of Kentuckians who are being told, through no fault of their own, that the health insurance plan they have relied on and want to keep is being canceled, and many are finding that Obamacare's alternatives are more costly.

Take one constituent who reached out to me from Burlington. He found out that his policy will be discontinued next year. He's not happy that a plan on the Obamacare exchanges will dramatically drive up his insurance costs from under \$400 a month to more than \$700—with zero subsidies available. "My wife and I are 54," he wrote. "We don't need maternity care—and we don't need Obamacare."

Then there's the small-business owner who contacted me from Todd County. Having recently lost his wife to breast cancer, he knows full well the importance of having good health insurance. He received a letter from his insurance provider telling him the plan he had relied on during his wife's illness would soon be terminated, and there would be no option to stay with the same company. The plans he found on the Obamacare exchange would raise his monthly premium by 300 percent. In conversations with other area small-business owners, he's found that many others face similar dilemmas.

Unfortunately, stories like these are all too common in the Commonwealth. In fact, 130,000 Kentuckians with individual policies have received cancellation notices, and yet only about 4,600 individuals have signed up for private insurance through the Kentucky exchange. Another 150,000 small group policies will be canceled, including policies held by groups like the Louisville Bar Association.

Liberal Democrats and Obama supporters in Kentucky are hailing the president's health law as something positive, and bragging that 32,000 Kentuckians signed up for coverage in the last month. But when a paltry 32,000 signups are weighed against the nearly 10 times as many Kentuckians whose insurance coverage is being canceled, it's obvious that Obamacare has been a net loser for Kentucky. Plus, 85 percent of those who sign up are signed up on Medicaid (free health care), not private plans.

Multiply this problem across all 50 states, and it's no wonder that the AP has reported that 3.5 million Americans will see their current health insurance plans canceled. And despite the president's many promises to the contrary, we now know that the administration knew ahead of time that millions of Americans would lose their current policies when Obamacare went into effect.

Let's face it—Obamacare's failures aren't restricted to just a website. The law is proving to be a calamity for millions of Americans who, through no fault of their own, are being forced to drop health insurance plans they like and purchase different ones with higher costs. It's still not too late to act to stop the worst parts of this law.

That's why, in the U.S. Senate, I have sponsored legislation to help protect thousands of Kentuckians from losing the health insurance plans they like and want to keep. If you can speak personally to the harmful effects of the new health care law, I hope you'll contact my office at www.McConnell.senate.gov. The more we know about the damage being done to Kentuckians, the better we can put a stop to it. Because this disaster of Obamacare isn't what Americans were promised.

I intend to keep fighting for the middle-class families who are suffering under this law. It's time for Washington Democrats to join me and work on behalf of their constituents—instead of thinking their first priority is to protect the president and his namesake legislation.

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MVFCA's 78th annual meeting begins December 5

The Mississippi Valley Flood Control Association (MVFCA) has announced its 78th Annual Meeting, which will be held at the Westin Canal Place Hotel, in New Orleans, La., on December 5-7, 2013.

The MVFCA deals with numerous issues affecting the region, including flood control, bank stabilization, navigation and major drainage problems. The association is composed of members from nine states: Iowa, Illinois, Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee, Arkansas, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas.

The First General Session will be held at 9:30 a.m. on December 6 and the Second General Session will be held at 9:30 a.m. on December 7.

The conference will also

include an address by MVFCA's President, U.S. Senator Roger Wicker, R-Miss.

The Flood Control Association, which was organized in 1922, has as its objectives to seek Congressional authorization and adequate annual appropriations for the early completion of all flood control projects necessary for the protection of the Mississippi Valley against the maximum probable flood and for the permanency of location for harbor facilities and industrial sites and to obtain deeper and more reliable navigation channels as well as to support major drainage improvements throughout the Mississippi Valley to provide protection against headwater flooding.

Over the 78 years the Mississippi Valley Flood Control Association has held all but four of their meetings in New Orleans, Louisiana. Their second and fourth meetings were held in Washington, D.C. in order to assist in the passage of important water resources legislation.

The sixth meeting scheduled for December 16, 1941 had to be postponed and moved to Chicago, Ill. because of the danger posed to New Orleans by German U-Boats operating in the Mississippi River. The location of the 70th meeting had to be changed to St. Louis, Mo. because of the devastation wrought by Hurricane Katrina and Rita.

Dr. Sam Hunter, Sikeston, Mo., who serves as Chairman of the ten-man Executive Committee that directs and manages the Association in accordance with policies adopted by the membership, has stated that the meeting will close at noon Saturday, the 7th of December following a Business Session at which time Officers to serve for the coming year will be elected.

David Weatherly is on the MVFCA board.

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PARTNERS - Murray State University (MSU) presented an MSU banner to the Pilot Academy students and Fulton County High School last week. "MSU is one of our partners with our Pilot Academy," stated Ellen Murphy, Dean of Students. Gina Winchester (on far right) presented the MSU banner to the students. (Photo Submitted.)



The Diamonds

The Diamonds to perform in Union City Saturday, November 16 at 7:30 p.m.

The popular 1950s quartet The Diamonds, known for such famous songs as "Little Darlin," "Silhouettes" and "The Stroll," will be taking the stage this month in Union City.

The group is the third installment of the 2013-14 concert series for Community Concert Association of Union City/Obion County. They will perform at the Union City Civic Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 16.

The Diamonds started in the fall of 1953 with four men from Toronto, Canada, who eventually signed to Mercury Records and put 16 hits on the charts of Billboard. Group members included David Somerville, lead; Ted Kowalski, tenor; Phil Levitt; baritone; and Bill Reed, bass.

They, like most artists of that day, were not an overnight success. They worked hard, developing their craft, learning "barbershop quartet" singing from Reed's dad, also a bass singer. Whenever possible, they would get together with a Detroit black gospel group called The Revelaires. As The Diamonds have said, "This was the group

that had the most effect on our singing; they taught us not to be so square."

With a performance and a win on the Arthur Godfrey show "Talent Scouts" in 1948, and a week guest-starring on Godfrey's radio show, they soon were signed to a four-song contract with Coral Records. A later introduction to Cleveland disc jockey Bill Randle, who got them long-term contact with Mercury Records. In 1956, they had four charted hits before their 1957 hit, "Little Darlin." This was the song that made them a household name. It also landed them in the teen musical "The Big Beat" (1958), and they also sang the theme song for the films "Kathy O'" (1958) and "The Horizontal Lieutenant" (1962).

Their contract with Mercury produced more than 60 singles, two original albums and several compilation albums.

By 1961, all the original members had left the group, but The Diamonds still continued.

Today, The Diamonds consist of Gary Owens — baritone (tenor sax); Jeff Dolan — bass (slide trombone); Sean Sooter — tenor (alto sax); and Jerry Siggins — lead (valve trombone).

For more information, visit www.communityconcertuc.org.

Planned Power Outage

We have a planned outage scheduled for Monday, Nov. 18 beginning at 11:15 p.m. The outage will last approximately 1 hour.

Hickman Electric System
1228 Moscow Ave.
Hickman, KY
270-236-3951

Pat's Red Door Salon

701 Moscow Ave.
Hickman, KY
270-236-3628

OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, Nov. 17
2 - 4 p.m.

I would like to thank everyone that helped make my 90th birthday so special. The cards, gifts, and attendance at my reception were all blessings that I'll always cherish.

Evelyn Everett

CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE WEEKEND
November 16-17 Sat., 9 - 4 and Sun., 1-4 Fulton, KY and South Fulton, TN

Selected Merchandise
10% - 20% OFF
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Visit with Santa at Campbell Plaza on Lake Street, Fulton, KY on Saturday, 1-3



BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION - Willie Louise Webb's 101st Birthday October 22, 2013 - Willie Louise Webb celebrated her birthday on October 19, 2013 at Ryan's in Union City, Tenn., with friends and family. Three living children were present; Vercie Darnall Haltom and Wilma Turner, both of Troy, Tenn., her son, Lehaman and Alice Webb of Kenton, Tenn., her brother, Elmer and Helen Nevil of Dresden, Tenn. She has 13 grandchildren, 38 great-grandchildren and 16 great-great-grandchildren. Her youngest son, Billy Webb passed away in 1993. (Photos submitted.)



The Hickman Courier wishes all these good folks a very happy birthday! Help make their days more special by remembering them with a card or a phone call.

November 18 - Karen Langford, and Ginger Alexander.

November 19 - Roena Chaney, Andrea Rice, Mary P rather, and Mary Jones.

November 20 - Emily Marie Ramsey Hearn, John Barnett, Fonda Swain, and Donna Jones.

November 21 - Jim Major,



Barry Harrison, Freida Simmons, Julie Abernathy Hayes, Kristi Poynor Looney, Henry Higgins, Michelle Bumpous, Justin Reaves, Temeaka Taylor, Justin Macklin, Kala LeAnn Infinger, and Ryan Luke Infinger.

November 22 - Hollie Ludiker.

November 23 - Maxine Sims, Michael Duncan, and Erica Busby Wiley.

November 24 - Laurie Baird, Vickie Etheridge, Tim Perry, Ashley McClure, and Debbie Hopkins.

Caring for Caregivers month

friends, coworkers, or neighbors may fill this role.

November is National Family Caregiver Month, and a great time to recognize people who help those facing cancer get well by providing love and support while they cope with treatment.

Caregivers can visit cancer.org/caregivers for tips on coping as a caregiver and caring for someone with cancer at home, as well as caring for someone near the end of his or her life. And, because no one knows what it's like to be a caregiver more than another caregiver, the American Cancer Society offers caregivers a way to connect with each other through the American Cancer Society Cancer Survivors Network® (CSN) at cancer.org/csn.

Through the CSN, caregivers can find emotional support, wisdom from experienced caregivers, and new friends.

Through local support of the American Cancer Society through events like Relay For Life, ACS is able to guide caregivers and loved ones battling cancer through every step of the cancer experience. For more information, visit cancer.org or call 1-800-227-2345 any time, day or night.

Low-Income Home Energy Program funding for heat is available now

The Subsidy Component of the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program began on November 12, 2013 and go through December 19, 2013. The Subsidy benefit amount that a household receives will be based on its level of poverty and the type of fuel used for heating. Applications will be taken according to the letter your last name begins with alphabetically as listed in the chart below:

Nov. 12 - A; Nov. 13 and 14 - B; Nov. 15 and 18 - C; Nov. 19 - D and E; Nov. 20 - F; Nov. 21 - G; Nov. 22 and 25 - H; Nov. 26 - I and J; Nov. 27 - Staff Day; Nov. 28 and 29 - Closed; Dec. 2 - K; Dec. 3 - L; Dec. 4 and 5 - M; Dec. 6 - N; Dec. 9 - O, P, Q; Dec. 10 - R; Dec. 11 and 12 - S; Dec. 13 - T; Dec. 16 - U, V, W; Dec. 17 - X, Y, Z; and Dec. 18 and 19 - open

For assistance all applicants must bring these items with them at the time of application:

1. Their most recent heating bill or a rent receipt if the applicant resides in public housing.

2. Proof of Social Security

See LIHEAP, page 4



HIGH SPIRITED ROTARY ADDRESS - Fulton County Schools Superintendent Aaron Collins addressed the Hickman Rotary Club on Thursday, Nov. 7. Collins reiterated Proficiency, Positive Relationships

Clinton-Hickman County Parade of Lights will be December 7

The Clinton-Hickman County Fourth Annual Parade of Lights will be held Saturday, Dec. 7. The tree lighting ceremony will take place at 5:30 p.m. on the courthouse lawn with a "Special Family" lighting the tree and then proceeding the tree lighting will be the parade. Line up will begin on Jefferson Street at 4:00 p.m. with judging at 4:30 p.m.

All floats and participants must have lights, except for antique cars and show cars. The committee also reminds participants that there is only one Santa and Mrs. Claus, which will be at the end of the parade. No Santa or Mrs. Claus suits please.

Monetary donations are being accepted from businesses and individuals whom would like to donate to help fund this spectacular event. Anyone wishing to make a donation may make their check payable to: Clinton-Hickman County Parade of Lights and mailed to Sara DeWeese, c/o River Valley Ag Credit, P.O. Box 220, Clinton, KY 42031 or may be dropped off at River Valley Ag Credit (former Jackson Purchase Ag Credit).

Christmas Parade Rules
ALL ENTRIES MUST HAVE LIGHTS: Parade is at dusk/evening – you won't be seen if you don't have lights of some kind.
FOR SAFETY PURPOSES, NO CANDY IS TO BE THROWN FROM VEHICLES: If you wish to distribute candy during parade, please have "walkers" beside your vehicle/entry to walk close to the viewers with buckets of candy for tossing into the crowd – NOT THE STREET!

ABSOLUTELY NO SANTAS/SANTA SUITS OR MRS. CLAUSES ON ENTRIES: The parade has ONE Santa and Mrs. Claus that will be at the end of the parade. Anyone wearing such costuming will be asked to remove it for the parade.



By Glenda Cochrum

The Hickman Senior Center will be presenting their third annual *Taste of the Holidays* on **Thursday, Nov. 21 from 4:30-7:00 p.m.** at the Hickman Center. There will be all kinds of delicious foods for tasting, lots of door prizes and vendors available. Tickets are \$6 in advance or \$8 at the door at the center or from any senior citizen who attends the center. Ticket holders will receive a cookbook of all the recipes for the night!

We are looking for individuals who will share favorite recipes (all kinds) and bring at least one of your prepared dishes to share at the event. Each dish should provide about 100 "bites" to be tasted by those attending! Deadline for recipe booklet submissions is Friday, Nov. 15. For more information call 236-2826.

Weekly activities at the senior center always include Exercise every Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 10:10; **Bingo every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 11:30;** and Chair Volleyball, Wednesday, 10:15. November activities include: Nov. 13, 10:30, Life Line, Amy Thompson; Nov. 14, 10:30, Pulse/Oxygen/Heart Rate monitoring; Nov. 15, Foot Care, Dr. Slatich; Nov. 18, 10:30, Kris Moore; Nov. 19, 10:30, Jim Legg, Chinese Exercise; Nov. 20, 10:30, Shannon Stunson, Arbor Place; Nov. 21, 4:30-7:00, Taste of the Holidays; Nov. 25, 10:30, Exercise; Nov. 26, 10:30, Sarah Overcast, Cane Creek Rehabilitation; Nov. 27, 10:30,

Navy beans with ham, greens, cornbread, pineapple delight, and skim milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 19

Navy beans with ham, greens, cornbread, pineapple delight, and skim milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 20

Turkey roast, cornbread dressing, giblet gravy, green beans, pumpkin custard, cranberry sauce, and skim milk.

Thursday, Nov. 21

Beef stew, confetti slaw, bran muffin, strawberry dessert, and skim milk.

Friday, Nov. 22

Barbecue pork on bun, black beans and corn relish, chocolate pudding, mandarin orange, and skim milk.



Hickman Duplicate Bridge Club and Jo Grissom, tied for first/second place; and Margie Evans and Carol Howell, and Doris Lattus and Betty Fields, tied for third/fourth place.

Hickman Duplicate Bridge Club

Hickman Duplicate Bridge Club winners for Tuesday, November 5 were as follows: Dianna Nerren and Nancy Richards, and Betty Amberg

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Sports In Kentucky For the Hickman Courier By Bob Watkins

Slugger Museum in Louisville is every bit a match for the oversized baseball bat standing out front. Has its own hallowed displays, crooks and crannies of memories and glassed-in baseball lore. That's before you see how bats are made.

To get a look at Hall of Famer Bill Mazeroski valuables before an auction on Saturday, I went back to visit last week.

The museum was abuzz. I met a fellow from north or Pittsburgh clad in a Pirates road jersey with MAZEROSKI across the back. Ray Baker was a kid when Maz hit the home run in 1960, but "I've always followed him. Met him a couple times and Maz is just a great down-to-earth good human being," he said.

For Mazeroski, it had to be bittersweet to watch a sell-off of the victories of his professional life. More than 200 pieces of gear would bring \$1,709,892. That's a million-seven.

Ironic, a man who so frequently has shaken his head in disbelief at his charmed life in baseball, (1956-72, all as a Pirate), this windfall in his 77th year.

By Sunday afternoon, a fan would say, "Could you find one person to say something bad about (Mazeroski)? I doubt it. Interesting that he thought to put all of this away."

According to the Pittsburgh Press, Mazeroski's "stuff" sold this way.

✓ 1960 World Series uniform, \$632,500.

✓ Bronzed bat from Game seven, \$322,000.

✓ Bronzed cleats from Game seven, \$97,750.

✓ Gold Glove Awards – 1958, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966 and 1967 – \$193,775.

✓ A Roberto Clemente bat, nickname Momen, given to Maz, \$86,250.

✓ And, a 1960 Babe Ruth Award, \$41,400.

Context for you and me?

Call to mind that apex moment in your backyard on a sunny day. Red Barber at the microphone, game seven of a World Series, you step to the plate. Then ... a fat fastball 'up' is coming, you swing and feel it immediately, that sweet spot! "I got it all!"

The ball sails ... and sails ... and well, in your mind, it's still going ... high over an ivy-covered wall.

The crowd is going wild as you run around the bases (too fast) in a jubilant fog you will wish to have back.

Happens only in a backyard or Bernard Malamud fiction and our childhood dreams, doesn't it? Except for a poor kid born in Wheeling, West Virginia and grew up in Tiltonsville, Ohio, it did happen.

Ray Baker: "That night, after his homer, when everybody in Pittsburgh was still celebrating, Maz took his wife to Shenley Park and they just sat and took it all in."

SECOND CUP

By Cory Ramsey



[NOVEMBER] Under a blue sky, somewhere near Mud Lick in Monroe County, in a field or perhaps beneath a big tree, a drainage basin collects itself and births the Barren River, right then and there. It carves a course, as most do, past golden tobacco fields near Gamaliel, just south of Fountain Run, and a little north of Bugtussle. Then in due time, dammed to form a lake named also Barren across from the transplanted Lucas. Eventually after numerous bends and twists, our river reaches near the old Cumberland Trace stagecoach route, where McFadden's Station operated a ferry across. Two brothers named Moore stayed here and then settled down a mile or two and established Bowling Green. It expanded somewhat. The Barren, undaunted, still flows past the history to Greencastle, now extinct, and a junction with the longer Green River at Woodbury in Butler County. From there, skirts Morgantown onward to Rochester, where a small ferry still chugs today. Then underneath a rusty railroad drawbridge at Rockport a little ways north. Near South Carrollton, who still have a steamboat as their town logo. And then, another junction, this time with the Rough River at Livermore, both now flowing under the span bridges of US 431 and later KY 81 in McClean County. Miles of farmland and coalfield betwixt the two. Beside Ashbyburg and

Bill Mazeroski played all his Big Leagues days in nearby Pittsburgh where his best summer with a bat was .275 in 1958. He was nicknamed The Glove and won six Golden ones. Then he made it to Cooperstown by way of a Ralph Terry fastball 'up,' and a Genuine Louisville Slugger, Powerized 125. More than half-century later it would be worth \$322,000.

Who knew?

America, I love this place.

KENTUCKY'S GLIMMER GAME

Mark Stoops first Kentucky team needed a glimmer game. A win to ignite a sparkle of hope across Big Blue Nation. Won't happen at Georgia, so, two chances left. Vanderbilt this week or two days after Thanksgiving when Tennessee travels to Lexington.

Given the Missouri blowout, good showings on the road at Vandy and Georgia are important to show progress in Stoops' process. But, beating Tennessee at home is critical if Kentucky is going to win two battles to follow

• First Wednesday in February.

• Season ticket sales next summer and fall.

Meanwhile, Bizzaro World at Kentucky continues.

✓ Week 6: A successful on-side kick-off at Mississippi State was erased by a penalty. Off sides.

✓ Week 8: A punt to Missouri in the second quarter, produced a fumble recovery at the Tigers' 13. Oops, UK's punt team was in an illegal formation. A punt team in illegal formation?

✓ Week (pick one): Rant over game official calls against Kentucky reminds me of Major League Baseball television analyst who says, "Guys like Tom Seaver or Steve Carlton get a strike call on pitches off the plate because they earned 'em."

Kentucky football. In four-plus decades writing about it, rarely have I seen a Wildcats team earn a "could go either way" call.

WKU & BOWL?

Bowl eligible Hilltoppers. After mid-schedule nose-dive, three losses, two at home, Western has rallied to 6-4 with two games left. Sun Belt has three bowl eligibles, Louisiana Lafayette, WKU and the Toppers next opponent, Texas State in San Marcos, Nov 23.

A bowl game is an outside shot for Western, but Hilltopper recruiters should take a reasonably good curve ball into prospective signee living rooms. "... we're movin' on up. Another winning season. Unbeaten with the service academies this year. New league next year with teevee. We finished higher in the mighty SEC than Kentucky.

"And yes, we might keep our head coach."

Maybe.

UK-UofL 'FILE IT' DEPT. Under a preseason 'how this college basketball season will turn out,' this gem: The (Kentucky) Wildcats and Louisville are head-and-shoulders above any other teams in the country, and there's a great chance they'll meet in the Final Four.

"Louisville will probably win when the two face off on its home floor in December, but will have the burden of trying to beat the same great team twice in one season, and even the Cardinals aren't up to that challenge."

File it.

HEISMAN WATCH

For voters not already in love with Johnny Manziel, the odds-on favorite should be, but isn't, is a senior who's led his team to back-to-back national championships and an unbeaten season so far in 2013.

Who deserves a Heisman more than Alabama's A.J. McCarron?

WORTH REPEATING

Most oft heard word in the U.S. today? Polls. One or another is attached to everything in our lives it seems.

Here's one taken on the eve of the No. 1 Kentucky - No. 2 Michigan State game. Question: Which college basketball coach's persona do you admire most, Tom Izzo or John Calipari?

Result: Izzo 67 per cent; Calipari 31.4; and 1.4 per cent said "don't like either one."

And so it goes.



NATIONAL FFA CONVENTION ATTENDEES - Traveling to Louisville last week to take part in the National FFA Convention include: (front row, l to r) Preston Baggett, Jessica Mathis, Dixie Major, Anagnace Ligons, and Allyson Dick; (back row, l to r) Cody Collins, Aaron Ellegood, Jeremiah Bagley, and Justin Suttles, Advisor. (Photo submitted.)

Fulton County FFA members attend National FFA Convention

By Allyson Dick

The 86th National FFA Convention and Expo was held on Wednesday, Oct. 30 through Friday, Nov. 2 in Louisville on the State Fair Grounds. There were 62,998 FFA members and advisors enrolled from all 50 states, including people from Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. Fulton County's Chapter attended the third opening session, which was held

on Thursday, Oct. 31. Louisville Cardinals head basketball coach, Rick Pitino, spoke about the "Seven Ways to Become Successful". FFA members also toured Woodland Farm, which is a 1,000 acre farm that raises bison, makes biodiesel, and is an all around organic farm. In conjunction with the National Convention, the FFA held a Career and College Expo. Pretty much every college that

offers a degree in Agriculture was represented and had information for students who might be interested in attending their college. Agriculture related companies, such as Monsanto, John Deere, New Holland, Chevrolet, and Dodge also had booths that provided information on their products and what students need to do in order to pursue a career with their company.



BALLOON RELEASE - Jacob Flournoy Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution held a balloon release ceremony to honor and remember the veterans in all 50 states. The event took place at Haws Nursing Home and Rehab in Fulton on November 6. (Photo submitted.)

Jacob Flournoy Chapter, DAR, holds Veterans Day celebration

The Jacob Flournoy Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held its annual Veterans Day celebration at Haws Nursing Home and Rehab in Fulton on Nov. 6.

Lora James, in her position as DAR Service for Veterans, opened the program by

welcoming veterans, city officials, visitors, residents and staff.

She then introduced South Fulton Elementary Choir Director, Greg Sinclair, who thanked James for inviting the choir to help in honoring the veterans.

They led in the pledge to the flag and then sang a variety of patriotic songs, including "The Grand Old Flag", ending with "Proud to be an American", by Lee Greenwood.

Following the singing, DAR members and city officials assisted in distributing 50 red, white, and blue balloons to the 45 choir members and Sinclair, who in turn had a balloon release in honor and memory of the veterans in all 50 states.

Lap throws, made by James, were presented to veterans who are residents of Haws as well as shut-ins residing in their homes, for a total of 14 distributed.

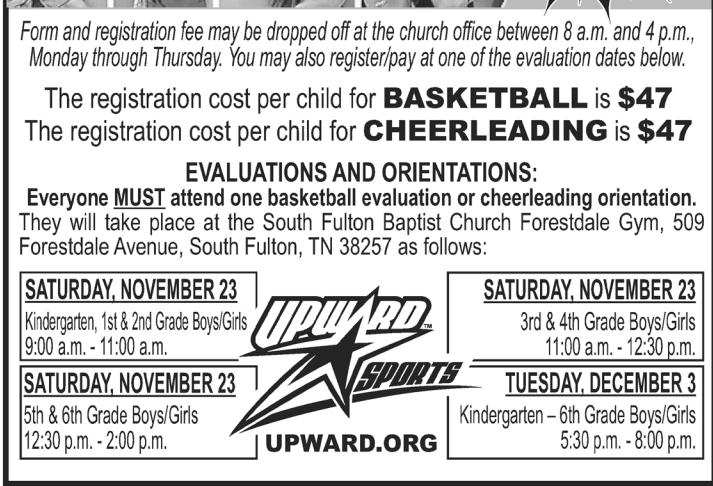
Regent Sallie Ferguson and

Flag Committee Margaret Perry assisted with the program.

Special guests in addition to visiting veterans included South Fulton Elementary School Vice Principal Laura Pitts, P.E. teacher Mac Pirtle, Jordon Forrester, Fulton Mayor Elaine Forrester, South Fulton Mayor Eddie Cassety, Joe Parfaith, U.S. Marine, Mr. and Mrs. James Fuller, U.S. Marines WWII veteran, Bobby Cash, U.S. Air Force, Robin Chappell, U.S. Army, George L. Brock, U.S. Army, and Air Force WWII.

There were approximately 15 widows of veterans present for the occasion.

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PILOTS LAY-UP — Jr. Lady Pilots Jekya Warren drives to the basket for a lay-up, as teammate Alana Coffey (5) trails the play. The Middle School team ran their record to 2-0 on the year, with a big 45-29 district win over Hickman County. Warren had seven points for Fulton County on the night. (Photo by Charles Choate.)



PRESSING DEFENSE — Daisy Major, #24, gets some air as she works on defense against the Hall's inbounder on Thursday, Nov. 7. Major and teammate Savannah Roberts are both working on defense in the Jr. Lady Pilots first game of the 2013-2014 season. (Photo submitted.)

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Obituaries

Myra L. Pickle

Myra L. Pickle, 77, a resident of Fulton, Ky., died November 9, 2013, at Haws Memorial Rehab and Nursing Facility in Fulton, Ky.

Born September 23, 1936, in Hickman Co., Ky., she was the daughter of the late Freeman Swift and Mavis (Boaz) Swift Dyer. She was of the Baptist faith and had lived in this area most of her life.

Survivors include two daughters and a son-in-law, Liddy and Allen Dick of Wingo, Ky., and Jean Burnette of Fulton, Ky.; two sons, Ricky Pickle

Bluff Briefs

Vendors needed for Annual Taste of the Holidays

The Fulton County Senior Center is inviting vendors for the Taste of the Holidays to be held at the Hickman Senior Center on Thursday, Nov. 21, and for the Taste of the Holidays to be held at the Fulton Senior Center on Thursday, Dec. 5, from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. Space is very limited. Please call 270-236-2826 or 270-472-2900 to reserve your booth now!

Class of 2015 Fundraiser

The Class of 2015 is asking that the community support them in their November fundraiser by pre-ordering your Thanksgiving desserts with them. You can place your order for these pies... Chocolate, Pumpkin, Coconut, Pecan, and Lemon Icebox for \$15 each, or our cakes...Chocolate, Strawberry, Apple Caramel, German Chocolate, and Red Velvet for \$20 each. Please place your order by November 22 by contacting Valerie Thompson at 270-256-7877 or see Tanya Kelly at the FCES. Pick up will be Tuesday, Nov. 26 between 1 and 3 p.m. at the FCHS.

Commodities to be distributed

The Ken-Tenn Foodbank will be distributing commodities to Fulton County Seniors living in poverty Friday, Nov. 15, from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. for residents of Fulton. Seniors living in Hickman will be distributed commodities from the First UMC in Hickman across from the county courthouse between 11:30 a.m. and Noon Friday, Nov. 15. Distribution to Fulton County households living in poverty {TEFAP} will be made Friday, Nov. 22 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. from the Foodbank in Fulton. Poverty is defined as having income of less than \$1244 per month or \$288 per wk.

Thomas Chapel CME Church

In an article in The Hickman Courier on page 8 it stated that Eddy Dean was the pastor of Thomas Chapel CME Church, information obtained from the Hickman Police Report. It should be noted that the pastor is Kim Taylor.

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then produced one last run, outscoring the Falcons 21-2, to cut the lead to 52-42 with 1:14 to play.

The teams traded baskets at the end, as Hickman County took the district game with an 11 point win.

Kahari Miller led Fulton County in the game with 12 points, while Jordan Naranjo led all scorers with 20 points.

Fulton County is now (1-1) overall and (0-1) in the district.

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Hickman Police Department News

The Hickman Police Department reports these arrests, citations, investigations and fire calls for Hickman and Cayce Volunteer Fire Departments for Sunday, Nov. 3 - Saturday, Nov. 9:

Sunday, Nov. 3:

- Responded to a residential burglar alarm on Union City Hwy.
- Assisted Tri-City EMS with a call at the police department.
- Provided a funeral escort.
- Responded to a residential burglar alarm on 7th St.
- Traffic stop on E Magnolia.

- Kevin Boden cited possession of marijuana and drug paraphernalia.

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FALL YARD OF THE WEEK - The home of John Amberg and Robin Johnson located on Magnolia Street has been chosen as the Hickman Chamber of Commerce Yard of the Week. (Photo by Barbara Atwill.)



GRADUATION DAY - Ladarian Polk (center) with his family who traveled to Fort Leonard Wood on graduation day. PV2 Polk's Drill Sergeant McPherson pronounced Polk "the most disciplined soldier he had yet trained". (Photo submitted.)

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Students take part in Veteran's Day Salute

Students were front and center during a well-presented Veteran's Day Salute held in the Fulton County Elementary/Middle School gymnasium on Monday, Nov. 11.

Ricky Bagley, a Fulton County High School Senior, already enlisted in the National Guard presented the history of Veteran's Day while dressed in his uniform. Bagley reminded everyone that Veteran's Day was originally known as "Armistice Day", the day World War I ended at 11 a.m., November 11, 1918. The first Armistice Day ceremony was held in the United States in 1921. That day an unknown World War I American soldier was buried in Arlington National Cemetery at the Tomb of the Unknown soldier. The name was changed in 1954 to Veteran's Day, to better reflect the honoring of all U.S. veterans, regardless of when they served their country.

Eighth grade students brought to everyone's attention all the wars Americans had fought in and how many perished during those wars.

Currently there are approximately 25,038,459 American veterans living today.

The message was clear - "Seek them out. Thank them. Your freedom is a gift from them."

Local veterans attending Monday's salute include:

U.S. Army: Donnie Cole, 1970-1971, Vietnam; Glen Stewart, 1969-1971; Buzz Blincoe, 1961-1964; Doc Roberts, 1959-1962; Bill Wilkerson, 1952-1954; Charles Wiley, 1958-1961; Bill Murray, 1957-1979, Vietnam; Coy Robinson, Jr., 1955-1968; Anna Faye Vowell representing the late Richard Vowell, 1953-1956, Korea; Freddie Thomas, 1995-2005, Iraq; Janie Adams, 1992-1994;



ENLISTED - Ricky Bagley, a Fulton County High School Senior, already enlisted in the National Guard presented historical information about Veterans Day during a Salute to Veterans held on Monday, Nov. 11 in the Fulton County Elementary/Middle School gymnasium. (Photo by Charlotte Smith.)



NEW TO THE CHAMBER - Martha Campbell (left) was named the Hickman Chamber Director on Thursday night during the annual Chamber dinner and business meeting. Franky Williams (right) is the newest board member to join President Phyllis Bryant, Vice President Sidney Vowell, Treasurer Greg Cole, and members Barbara McIntee, Gene Cole, Jeff Jones, Pam Dinwiddie, Rob Hitesman, Jane Voorhees and Baby Doll Yarbro. The Silent Auction raised approximately \$3,000 for the Chamber with over 100 attending. (Photo by Charlotte Smith.)



PICTURE PERFECT - Elena and Landon Cole dressed as an Indian and cowboy were ready to go trick or treating on a nice fall afternoon. Elena and Landon are the children of Kristy and Michael Cole and the grandchildren of Doug and Sherry Voorhees and Jeanne and Donnie Cole. The Hickman Courier is looking for more "Picture Perfect" photos of kids, send them to hickmancourier@bellsouth.net and you just might see them in the paper. (Photo submitted.)

Joe Roberts, 1958-1961; Allen Craddock, 1967-1969, Vietnam; Gerald Harris 1965-1967, Vietnam; Johnny Carr, 1969-1970, Vietnam; Willis Hayslett, 1973-1994, Vietnam Era Veteran; Albert Dinwiddie, 1967-1991, Vietnam; Bobby Giles, 1973-1975; Clentis and Shirley Turnbow, 1962-1969, Vietnam.

U.S. Navy: Jim Jackson, 1950-1954; David Lattus, 1962-1966; Mike Williams, 1972-1975; Jimmy Lucy, 1960-1964; Dickey Cruce, 1969-1973.

U.S. Marines: Jimmy Lane, 1968-1970; Jimmy Roper, 1966-1968, Vietnam.

Air Force National Guard: Coy Robinson, III, 1975-1980; Mike Riley, 1970-1974.

Air Force National Guard: Ricky Bagley, enlisted; Phillip Uzzle, 1982-2008, Iraq; Perry Turner, 1977-2007, Desert Storm Iraq.

Coast Guard: Caleb Smith, enlisted; Trevor Sharpe, enlisted.

U.S. Air Force: Donnie and Michelle Thomas, 1982-1987; Harold Barnes, 1962-1966, Vietnam.

Caroline Morrison, Student Council President, led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance; Superintendent Aaron Collins gave the Keynote Address, after being introduced by his son, Caleb Collins.

Annesha Jackson, Senior Class President, performed the closing.

Jodi Kirk lead all present as they sang the National Anthem and JoAnn Hardin played Taps.

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Polk

and performed all assigned tasks to standard. Polk was granted the honor of leading his fellow graduates into the ceremony. He was one of three honor graduates in a class of 158.

A sapper, also called pioneer or combat engineer, is a combat or soldier who performs a variety of military engineering duties such as bridge-building, laying or clearing minefields, demolitions, field defenses and general construction, as well as road and airfield construction and repair. They are also trained to serve as infantry personnel in defensive and offensive operations. A sapper's duties are devoted to tasks involving facilitating movement of allied forces and impeding those of enemies.

Polk, a 2013 graduate of Fulton County High School, left in mid-July for 16 weeks of rigorous training that saw 80 graduates of his original 238 wash out before last week's graduation.

Polk was quickly singled out to be a team leader, and then progressed to a squad leader, and platoon leader. "I was in charge of 64 soldiers, including myself," he says.

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Tyre Jones

*Parent's names: Tina Jones
Brothers and sisters names: Ashton Adams and Tana Cox.*

Church and/or community involvement: Pleasant Hill Baptist Church

Favorite part of school: When it ends.

Something interesting about yourself: I have a great personality.

Melissa Milam

*Parent's names: Brenda Kay Johnson
Brothers and sisters names: Melannie Milam and Ray Johnson*

Church and/or community involvement: Sassafras Ridge Baptist Church

Plans after graduation: I plan to go to college for childcare.

Clubs, activities, accomplishments, and etc.: Graduating

Favorite part of school: Learning and being with my friends.

Something interesting about yourself: I am an identical twin of 7 other sets of fraternal twins in our family (my mother is also an identical twin).

Fondest memory while at Fulton County High School: Moving here and making new friends.

Fulton County High School Class of 2014

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